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CONTEMPORARY FORMS OF SLAVERY

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Machinery for monitoring the international conventions on slavery

The Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities,

Recalling its resolution 1993/7 of 20 August 1994,

Noting paragraphs 3, 4, 5 and 6 of Commission on Human Rights resolution 1994/25 of 4 March 1994,

1. Recommends the following draft decision to the Commission on Human Rights for adoption:

"The Commission on Human Rights, taking note of Sub-Commission on Prevention of Discrimination and Protection of Minorities resolution 1994/.. of .. August 1994, decides that the Working Group on Contemporary Forms of Slavery should continue its work and that for the purpose of reviewing the implementation of the conventions on slavery, authorizes the Working Group to request information from Member States with a view to formulating concrete recommendations; also decides: to

authorize the Working Group to cooperate with the Governments concerned in the review and evaluation of ways and means to eradicate slavery in all its forms and to request contributions to the work of the Working Group from experts of the United Nations Children's Fund, the International Labour Organisation, the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, the World Health Organization and the International Criminal Police Organization; to authorize the Sub-Commission to appoint the members of the Working Group for a period of three years; and to examine this matter at regular intervals to verify the efficiency of the mechanism proposed."